

EVENT & FILM GUIDE – OCTOBER 2019



Downton Abbey (PG)

Running Time: 122 minutes

The continuing story of the Crawley family, wealthy owners of a large estate in the English countryside in the early 20th century.



Blinded by the Light (M)

Running Time: 117 minutes

From writer/director/producer **Gurinder Chadha** (*Bend It Like Beckham*) comes the inspirational drama *Blinded by the Light*, set to the music and lyrics of **Bruce Springsteen's** timeless songs. *Blinded by the Light* tells the story of Javed (**Viveik Kalra**) a British teen of Pakistani descent, growing up in the town of Luton, England, in 1987. Amidst the racial and economic turmoil of the times, he writes poetry as a means to escape the intolerance of his hometown and the inflexibility of his traditional father. But when a classmate introduces him to the music of "the Boss," Javed sees parallels to his working-class life in Springsteen's powerful lyrics. As Javed discovers a cathartic outlet for his own pent-up dreams, he also begins to find the courage to express himself in his own unique voice.



The Angry Birds Movie 2 (PG)

Running Time: 97 minutes

The flightless angry birds and the scheming green piggies take their beef to the next level in *The Angry Birds Movie 2!* When a new threat emerges that puts both Bird and Pig Island in danger, Red (**Jason Sudeikis**), Chuck (**Josh Gad**), Bomb (**Danny McBride**), and Mighty Eagle (**Peter Dinklage**) recruit Chuck's sister Silver (**Rachel Bloom**) and team up with pigs Leonard (**Bill Hader**), his assistant Courtney (**Awkwafina**), and techpig Garry (**Sterling K. Brown**) to forge an unsteady truce and form an unlikely superteam to save their homes.



Mosley (G)

Running Time: 97 minutes

Mosley follows the eponymous hero and his family of four-legged "Thoriphants," intelligent creatures with the ability to speak like humans but that have been cursed to live a life of servitude. In an attempt to free his family, Mosley embarks on a perilous journey to find the mythical land of Kinesareth.

TICKETS

In advance: Adult \$10, Senior \$8, Student/Child \$8
 On the door: Adult \$13, Senior \$11, Student/Child \$11

From www.eventfinda.co.nz

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Amazing Grace (G)

Running Time: 88 minutes

Witness **Aretha Franklin** as you've never seen her before. Experience an electrifying performance in the brand new concert film *Amazing Grace*.



Maiden (M)

Running Time: 97 minutes

The story of **Tracy Edwards**, a 24-year-old cook on charter boats, who became the skipper of the first ever all-female crew to enter the Whitbread Round the World Race in 1989.



Ride Like A Girl (PG)

Running Time: 98 minutes

As a little girl, **Michelle Payne** dreams of the impossible: winning the Melbourne Cup horse-racing's toughest two-mile race. The youngest of 10 children, Michelle is raised by single father Paddy. She leaves school at 15 to become a jockey and after early failures she finds her feet, but a family tragedy, followed by her own near fatal horse fall all but ends the dream. But with the love of her dad and her brother Stevie, Michelle will not give up. Against all the medical advice, and the protests of her siblings, she rides on, and meets the Prince of Penzance. Together they overcome impossible odds for a shot at the dream: a ride in the 2015 Melbourne Cup, at odds of 100 to 1. The rest is history.



Take Home Pay (M)

Running Time: 104 minutes

Aspiring Private Investigator Bob Titilo (**Tofiga Fepulea'i**) helps Alama (**Vito Vito**) to find his brother Popo (**Longi Taulafo**) - who has run away with Alama's money. Bob's unconventional methods take the pair on a wild goose chase, leaving the chances of recovering the money less and less likely.

A new action comedy from the makers of *Three Wise Cousins* and *Hibiscus & Ruthless*.



EOS: Young Picasso (Ex)

Running Time: 91 minutes

Pablo Picasso is one of the most famous names in art history, his image and his art are everywhere, yet few know the remarkable story of his rise to greatness. *Young Picasso* takes an in-depth look at the journey of Picasso's life and traces his path to genius.



Girls of the Sun (R16)

Running Time: 111 minutes

Lawyer-turned-freedom fighter Bahar (**Golshifteh Farahani**) prepares to liberate her Kurdistan village and free her son taken hostage by extremists. French journalist Mathilde (**Emmanuelle Bercot**), herself traumatised by the recent death of her husband in Libya, arrives to cover the story of Bahar and her Kurdish army known as 'Girls of the Sun'. During her time spent embedded within the ranks of this all-female unit of former ISIS captives, Mathilde faces her own inner demons and finds strength through adversity. *Girls of the Sun* is an incendiary and unashamedly emotional film that pays respect to largely unacknowledged Kurdish female warriors who have played a monumental role in the fight against ISIS.

LIVE EVENTS

Hawkins Youth Theatre Company presents

Aladdin

02 - 05 October 2019

Tickets \$10 - \$20

Selling fast, book now
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Hawkins Youth Theatre Company presents Aladdin

Wednesday 2 October - 10am & 1pm
Thursday 3 October - 10am & 1pm
Friday 4 October - 11am & 7.30pm
Saturday 5 October - 2pm & 6pm

As Aladdin vies for the heart of the beautiful princess Jasmine, he must contend with the dastardly Abanazar and convince the sultan he is worthy of his daughter's hand in marriage. Perhaps the help of a magic lamp will help him fulfill his dreams...

Aladdin is the pantomime reconstruction of the classic story and includes a variety of traditional pantomime tropes: highly energetic comedic routines, larger than life characters, and of course – a little bit of magic! This really is something for the whole family.

The junior members of the Hawkins Youth Theatre Company bring this classic tale to life these October school holidays!



Tickets on sale now and available from Eventfinda

Adult - \$20
Child/Student - \$15
Senior Citizen - \$15
Groups 10+ - \$10
(additional booking fees may apply)



Auckland Beijing Opera Show Sunday 13 October - 12pm

Beijing Opera is a very traditional, popular Chinese art which has more than 200 years history and is part of the *UNESCO World Heritage*.

Manukau Beijing Opera Society invites 4 other societies from the Auckland region to achieve a joint show with beautiful Beijing Opera make-up, costumes, face painting and dancing. Its a classical and modern music performance contributing to the Auckland community.

This performance is **FREE** - doors open from 11.30am



The 3 Tenors Operatunity Thursday 24 October - 11am

The New Zealand Three Tenors are celebrated for their fabulous voices, their camaraderie, banter and fun. Operatunity are delighted to present them to you in a new show, where they will celebrate the greatest melodies ever written.

Music is a great way to enhance our lives, to bring richness and speak to us in an international, universal language. The tenors present the most famous and greatest melodies of all time, from music theatre, opera, operetta, spiritual, the crooners, classical; in fact many genres where melody is emotional and touching, and where the beauty of the music can transcend us to a different realm.

Please call 0508 266 237 or visit
www.daytimeconcerts.co.nz to book tickets

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Wednesday 9 October	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Mosley The Angry Birds Movie 2 Mosley Maiden
Thursday 10 October	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	The Angry Birds Movie 2 Mosley The Angry Birds Movie 2 Downton Abbey
Friday 11 October	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Mosley Downton Abbey The Angry Birds Movie 2 Take Home Pay
Sunday 13 October	12pm	Auckland Beijing Opera Show
Monday 14 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Maiden Downton Abbey Blinded By The Light
Tuesday 15 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Downton Abbey Amazing Grace Girls of the Sun
Wednesday 16 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Exhibitions On Screen: Young Picasso Blinded By The Light Amazing Grace
Thursday 17 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Take Home Pay Downton Abbey Exhibitions On Screen: Young Picasso
Monday 21 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Girls of the Sun Maiden Downton Abbey
Tuesday 22 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Amazing Grace Take Home Pay Maiden
Wednesday 23 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Downton Abbey Blinded By The Light Girls of the Sun
Thursday 24 October	11am	Operatunity presents The 3 Tenors
Tuesday 29 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Downton Abbey Ride Like A Girl Blinded By The Light
Wednesday 30 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Blinded By The Light Girls of the Sun Take Home Pay
Thursday 31 October	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Amazing Grace Exhibitions On Screen: Young Picasso Ride Like A Girl